



Michigan State Agriculture Overview - 2004

Farms

Number of Farms	53,200
Land in Farms (acres)	10,100,000
Average Farm Size (acres)	190

Livestock Inventory

Cattle and Calves - All (Jan. 1, 2005)	1,010,000
Hogs & Pigs - All (Dec. 1, 2004)	950,000
Sheep	83,000

Milk

Milk Cows (Average head)	303,000
Milk Production per Cow (lbs)	20,842
Production (lbs)	6,315,000,000

Crops - Planted, Harvested, Yield, Production, Price(MYA), Value of Production

Commodity	Planted All Purpose Acres	Harvested Acres	Yield	Production	Price per Unit	Value of Production Dollars
Corn For Grain	2,200,000	1,920,000	134.0 bus	257,280,000 bus	1.80 dols / bu	463,104,000
Soybeans	2,000,000	1,980,000	38.0 bus	75,240,000 bus	5.05 dols / bu	379,962,000
Hay All (Dry)		1,100,000	3.0 tons	3,270,000 tons	93.50 dols / ton	302,890,000
Hay Alfalfa (Dry)		850,000	3.2 tons	2,720,000 tons	97.00 dols / ton	263,840,000
Wheat Winter All	660,000	640,000	64.0 bus	40,960,000 bus	3.00 dols / bu	122,880,000
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Potatoes Fall	43,000	42,000	325.0 cwt	13,650,000 cwt	6.95 dols / cwt	94,868,000
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Beans Dry Edible All	190,000	185,000	1,700.0 cwt	3,145,000 cwt	22.80 dols / cwt	71,706,000
Hay Other (Dry)		250,000	2.2 tons	550,000 tons	71.00 dols / ton	39,050,000
Oats	80,000	65,000	68.0 bus	4,420,000 bus	1.60 dols / bu	7,072,000
Barley All	14,000	12,000	51.0 bus	612,000 bus	1.50 dols / bu	918,000
Spearmint		1,600	45.0 lbs	72,000 lbs	9.30 dols / lb	670,000
Peppermint		1,000	45.0 lbs	45,000 lbs	10.90 dols / lb	491,000
Corn For Silage		265,000	18.0 tons	4,770,000 tons		
Sugarbeets	165,000	163,000	21.1 tons	3,439,000 tons		
Maple Syrup			0.2 gals	80,000 gals		
Beans Navy (Pea/Beans)	55,000	54,000	1,800.0 cwt	970,000 cwt		
Beans Great Northern	1,000	1,000	1,600.0 cwt	16,000 cwt		
Beans Pinto	7,000	6,500	1,710.0 cwt	111,000 cwt		
Beans Light Red Kidney	15,000	14,500	1,460.0 cwt	212,000 cwt		
Beans Dark Red Kidney	7,000	6,500	1,230.0 cwt	80,000 cwt		
Beans Small Red	15,500	15,000	1,740.0 cwt	261,000 cwt		
Beans Cranberry	9,500	9,000	1,440.0 cwt	130,000 cwt		
Beans Black	74,000	73,000	1,770.0 cwt	1,290,000 cwt		
Beans Other Dry Edible	6,000	5,500	1,360.0 cwt	75,000 cwt		
Alfalfa & Alfalfa	135,000					
Mixtures - New Seedings						
Field & Misc Crops	6,452,000					

2002 Census of Agriculture State Profile
United States Department of Agriculture, Michigan Agricultural Statistics Service

Michigan - Ranked items within U.S. 2002

Item	Quantity	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	3,772,435	22	50
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	2,362,628	12	50
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	1,409,807	26	50
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	990,921	13	50
Tobacco			23
Cotton and cottonseed			17
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	322,510	10	50
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	181,469	5	50
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	628,699	6	50
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	30,411	4	50
Other crops and hay	208,618	12	50
Poultry and eggs	146,700	25	50
Cattle and calves	298,517	31	50
Milk and other dairy products from cows	697,920	8	50
Hogs and pigs	200,027	13	50
Sheep, goats, and their products	6,613	20	50
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	23,743	12	50
Aquaculture	3,316	31	50
Other animals and other animal products	32,972	4	50
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Layers 20 weeks old and older	7,308,261	14	50
Turkeys	1,204,019	18	50
Cattle and calves	998,204	31	50
Hogs and pigs	927,400	14	50
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	663,588	27	50
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Soybeans	2,055,424	12	41
Corn for grain	2,007,021	11	49
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	1,212,603	22	50
All Wheat for grain	433,783	18	48
Dry edible beans, excluding limas	259,026	2	40

Other Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:		Farms by value of sales	
Farming	29,071	Less than \$1,000	17,442
Other	24,244	\$1,000 to \$2,499	5,849
		\$2,500 to \$4,999	4,749
Principal operators by sex:		\$5,000 to \$9,999	5,107
Male	47,411	\$10,000 to \$19,999	4,930
Female	5,904	\$20,000 to \$24,999	1,499
		\$25,000 to \$39,999	2,839
Average age of principal operator (years)	54	\$40,000 to \$49,999	1,180
		\$50,000 to \$99,999	3,229
All operators ² by race:		\$100,000 to \$249,999	3,231
White	77,320	\$250,000 to \$499,999	1,807
Black or African American	243	\$500,000 or more	1,453
American Indian or Alaska Native	264		
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	25	Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	3,333,716
Asian	76	Average per farm (\$)	62,551
More than one race	265		
		Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	724,021
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	1,145	Average per farm (\$)	13,585

(D) Cannot be disclosed. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of states in U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.